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2. AT LAST MEETING OF HLG, NOTHING SAID BY US OR BY OTHER DELEGATIONS COULD BE INTERPRETED AS CALL FOR "IL-CONSUMER NATIONS" UNION. THE USG, WHILE STRONGLY SUPPORTING COOPERATION AMONG CONSUMING COUNTRIES, HAS CONSISTENTLY WARNED AGAINST A RIGID, CONFRONTATION APPROACH SUCH AS THIS EXPRESSION APPEARS TO IMPLY.

3. MOREOVER, THE STATEMENT THAT THE USG AND OTHERS REQUESTED THAT OIL NOT BE PURCHASED FROM LIBYA COULD BE INTERPRETED AS CALL FOR COMPLETE BOYCOTT. US AND OTHERS WERE VERY EXPLICIT IN LIMITING THEIR REMARKS TO "HOT OIL" FROM EXPROPRIATED PROPERTIES IN LIBYA.

4. FINALLY, AT LAST MEETING OF HLG, CHAIRMAN GAVE GROUP STRONG REMINDER OF RULE THAT DISCUSSIONS SHOULD BE ABSOLUTELY CONFIDENTIAL. *OK*

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